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Applicant: Werner Lautenschlager )  
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FOR TREATING CHEMICAL )  
SUBSTANCES IN A MICROWAVE )  
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Sir:

Please advise when an official action can be expected in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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